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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appellant:	Keith H. Baker et al.	Paper No.:	
Serial No.:	09/992,757	Group Art Unit:	1751
Filed:	November 6, 2001	Examiner:	E.B. Elhilo
For:	<b>Compositions for Treating Shoes and Methods and Articles Employing Same</b>		

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 2, 2003, please amend the subject application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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